

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Eric Balard

Serial No.: **10/618,861**

Filed: **07/14/2003**

Docket No.: **TI-34921**

Examiner: **Ho, Thomas M**

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Conf. No.: **6971**

For: **SECURE PROTECTION METHOD FOR ACCESS TO PROTECTED RESOURCES IN A PROCESSOR**

PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-14550

Dear Sir:

The above-identified application went abandoned on or about October 11, 2006. Applicants' representative checked the file history of the case and determined that, even though Applicants had intended to file an Amendment on, or before, October 10, 2006, in response to the Office Action dated April 10, 2006, no such Amendment had been submitted. Applicants now submit the Amendment they had intended to file on, or before, October 10, 2006 and this Petition to Revive.

Pursuant to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(1), Applicants submit herewith the reply required – the attached Amendment.

Pursuant to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(3), Applicants state that the entire delay from October 10, 2006 (last due date (with maximum EOT) for submitting Applicants' Amendment) to December 12, 2006 (date of the present petition) was unintentional.

Pursuant to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(2), please charge the \$1,300.00 petition fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m) to Deposit Account No. 20-0668. Three copies of this sheet are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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